

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF ARIZONA**

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Minute Entry

Hearing Information:

Debtor: BCE WEST, L.P.
Case Number: 2-98-12547-ECF-CGC **Chapter:** 11
Date / Time / Room: WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2001 11:00 AM 10TH FLOOR # 6
Bankruptcy Judge: CHARLES G. CASE II
Courtroom Clerk: RHONDA VAUGHAN
Reporter / ECR: RACHAEL STAPLETON

Matters:

- 1) **ADV: 2-00-00639**
GERALD K. SMITH, PLAN TRUSTEE vs SUNWEST PRINTING SERVICES, INC.
RULE 16(b) SCHEDULING CONFERENCE
R / M #: 0 / 0
- 2) **ADV: 2-00-00646**
GERALD K. SMITH, PLAN TRUSTEE vs NEWS AMERICA FSI, INC.
RULE 16(b) SCHEDULING CONFERENCE
R / M #: 0 / 0
- 3) **ADV: 2-00-00649**
GERALD K. SMITH, PLAN TRUSTEE vs BC WASHINGTON, INC. & STEVEN J QUAMME
RULE 16(b) SCHEDULING CONFERENCE
R / M #: 0 / 0
- 4) **ADV: 2-00-00643**
GERALD K. SMITH, PLAN TRUSTEE vs MARK R. GOLDSTON
RULE 16(b) SCHEDULING CONFERENCE
R / M #: 0 / 0
- 5) **ADV: 2-00-00645**
GERALD K. SMITH, PLAN TRUSTEE vs FRANCIS X MESSINA
RULE 16(b) SCHEDULING CONFERENCE
R / M #: 0 / 0

Appearances:

MICHAEL W. CARMEL, ATTORNEY FOR GERALD K. SMITH, PLAN TRUSTEE
WILLIAM NOVOTNY, ATTORNEY FOR FRANCIS X MESSINA
JOHN LOGAN, ATTORNEY FOR SUNWEST PRINTING SERVICES
DAN COLLINS, ATTORNEY FOR BC WASHINGTON, INC., STEVEN J QUAMME
ROBERT VAN VOORHEES, ATTORNEY FOR MARK GOLDSTON
DAVID POSNER, ATTORNEY FOR NEWS AMERICA FSI
WILLIAM NOVOTNY, ATTORNEY FOR FRANCIS MESSINA

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Proceedings:

ADV. 00-639

Mr. Carmel advises counsel agreed to continue the Rule 16(b) Conference to April 4th and notes parties are exploring settlement possibilities.

COURT: IT IS ORDERED CONTINUING THE RULE 16(b) SCHEDULING CONFERENCE TO APRIL 4, 2001 AT 10:00 A.M.

ADV. 00-646

Mr. Carmel advises counsel had their 26(f) meeting and requests 90 days for discovery with trial in September.

COURT: IT IS ORDERED SETTING A DISCOVERY DEADLINE OF MAY 22, 2001 WITH DISPOSITIVE MOTIONS TO BE FILED BY JUNE 15, 2001; A JOINT PRETRIAL STATEMENT IS TO BE FILED NO LATER THAN SEPTEMBER 4, 2001. A FINAL PRETRIAL CONFERENCE IS SET ON SEPTEMBER 12, 2001 AT 10:00 A.M. WITH A TRIAL SET ON SEPTEMBER 20, 2001 AT 9:00 A.M. MR. POSNER CAN APPEAR TELEPHONICALLY AT THE PRETRIAL CONFERENCE.

ADV. 00-643

Mr. Carmel asks the Rule 16(b) conference be continued for 60 days.

COURT: IT IS ORDERED CONTINUING THE RULE 16(b) CONFERENCE TO APRIL 4, 2001 AT 10:00 A.M.

ADV. 00-645

Mr. Carmel advises he and Mr. Novotny agreed to a discovery deadline of September 1, 2001.

COURT: IT IS ORDERED SETTING A DISCOVERY DEADLINE OF SEPTEMBER 1, 2001 WITH DISPOSITIVE MOTIONS TO BE FILED BY SEPTEMBER 30, 2001; A JOINT PRETRIAL STATEMENT IS TO BE FILED NO LATER THAN DECEMBER 3, 2001. A FINAL PRETRIAL CONFERENCE IS SET ON DECEMBER 12, 2001 AT 10:00 A.M. WITH A TRIAL SET ON DECEMBER 17, 2001 AT 9:00 A.M. THE COURT ENCOURAGES MR. NOVOTNY TO GIVE CONSIDERATION OF USING THE VIDEO-CONFERENCING FACILITIES.

ADV. 00-649

Mr. Carmel advises counsel agreed to a 120 days to conduct discovery.

COURT: IT IS ORDERED SETTING A DISCOVERY DEADLINE OF JUNE 21, 2001 WITH DISPOSITIVE MOTIONS TO BE FILED BY JULY 10, 2001; A JOINT PRETRIAL STATEMENT IS TO BE FILED NO LATER THAN SEPTEMBER 4, 2001. A FINAL PRETRIAL CONFERENCE IS SET ON SEPTEMBER 12, 2001 AT 10:00 A.M. WITH A TRIAL SET ON SEPTEMBER 17, 2001 AT 9:00 A.M.